



THIRD YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 1894.

ONE CENT.



IT'S SO IF IT'S IN THE LEDGER.

The revenue payments on whisky at the Collector's office Louisville Tuesday amounted to \$600,000. At Cincinnati the receipts were \$484,000.

GREAT MISFORTUNE.

Overwork Causes James C. Wilson to Lose His Mind.

Mr. James C. Wilson, who was for twelve years a resident of Louisville, being head bookkeeper for J. M. Robinson & Co., and who has been with his mother in this city for the past six weeks, was this morning taken to an institution where he may be treated for a slight mind disorder occasioned by overwork.

Mr. Wilson was not only faithful and efficient, but was ambitious and energetic, allowing his zeal to carry him beyond the power of endurance, hence the malady under which he now suffers is the inevitable result of too much mental work.

Mr. Wilson married Miss Holt of Anchorage, and to them have come two bright and beautiful boys, and it is hoped that with absolute rest and quiet, together with the care of skilled physicians, he may soon be restored to health and family and take up again his life work, for which he is so eminently well qualified and endowed.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are visiting friends, please drop us a note to that effect.

Miss May Finch is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. L. C. Dimmitt returned from Cincinnati yesterday afternoon.

S. N. Meyer and wife have left Goshen, Va., and gone to Alderson, W. Va.

Mrs. E. W. Armentrout left last evening for her future home at Stanton, Va.

J. M. Hawley, the Forman's Springs merchant, was in this city yesterday on 'Change.

Mr. Hurst, nee Miss Lizzie Sudth, arrived yesterday to visit the family of C. C. Calhoun.

Miss Mary Oldham, daughter of G. W. Oldham, is visiting relatives and friends at Manchester, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Finnell of Erlanger are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Watkins of Forest avenue.

Mrs. Mamie Damaree of Vanceburg is in the city on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Collins of East Fifth street.

Mr. Charles Burgess Pearce of The State National Bank, after a sojourn of several weeks in the Northwest, is at home.

Ben B. Poyntz has returned from Nashville, Tenn., where he went to visit his wife, who is visiting her relatives there.

Ashland News—Miss Kate C. Poage left Tuesday morning for a two weeks visit to friends near Mayslick, Mason county, Ky.

Miss Kate Dersch and Mrs. William Dersch and daughter Della left this morning for Portsmouth and Greenup to live some several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trapp will arrive in Maysville today, having already engaged hotel with Mr. Len Burdett, Hill House. Mr. and Mrs. Trapp will be warmly welcomed.

Miss Mary Wheatley, who has been on an extended visit to friends and relatives in this city and throughout the county, came in on the L. and N. train yesterday morning and left yesterday afternoon for her home in Cincinnati.

Mr. Henry McClanahan leaves next week on a tour of inspection, as well as a visit to relatives at Washington City. He will go to New York by the way of Boston and the sea, taking in a steamboat ride on the beautiful Hudson river.

Yesterday's Enquirer says: "Colonel Thomas Forman, ex-deputy State Treasurer of the Maysville, Ky., Revenue District, is registered at the Gibson House. Speaking of politics in his part of the state, Colonel Forman said that insurrection seemed to permeate all parts of the body politic, and that the only subject that interested people was the Owens-Breckinridge-Sells fight in the Ashland District."

DASTARDLY DEED

Which Came Very Near Ending Mrs. W. W. Lynch's Life.

There came very near being a murder last evening at Third and Commerce streets, Fifth Ward.

Mrs. W. W. Lynch has been seriously ill for some time, and as a natural consequence she is quite weak.

Last evening she started for a little walk, being accompanied by a colored girl who works around the house.

After walking over on Second street and talking to several of her friends, she started back home by the way of Commerce street.

Just as the two were about to turn into Third from Commerce street a rock came whizzing along, striking Mrs. Lynch on the head, cutting a severe gash and almost rendering her unconscious.

She was carried to her home close by and a physician summoned, who attended the wound and made the good lady as comfortable as possible.

The fellow who threw the rock will be arrested today, as he is known, and will no doubt get what he deserves.

Mrs. Lynch's many friends will regret to learn of this misfortune, and all join in one strain of sympathy for her.

WELL THIMMED.

Judge Norrell of Carlisle Filed the Boys Up in Great Shape.

On Monday and Tuesday the prisoners arrested at Devil's Gulch, near Deering Campground, last Sunday, were taken before Judge Norrell for trial.

The Judge assessed the following penalties:

Ab Jones, colored, concealed weapons, \$30 and ten days in jail.

John Duran, colored, gaming, \$30.

Sol Williams, gaming, \$30.

Robert Watkins, concealed weapons, \$30 and ten days in jail.

G. W. Payne, gaming, \$30.

T. Hartman, gaming, \$30.

Thomas Ball, gaming, \$30.

The costs were added to each of these cases and several were discharged.

Most of these fines will have to be worked out on the public works at Carlisle, as those fellows are strictly on the "pig."

Strictly pure and always fresh is Chenoweth's Baking Powder at 35 cents a pound.

Delicious Cream, Salt Rising and Grandma's Bread at G. W. Geisel's Saturday.

Public spirited citizens of Henderson have provided ice-water for the parks of that city.

Millford, Bracken county, is on the map all right now. Frank Meyers was fatally shot, and another fatally cut his throat with a razor.

Judge Phillips, Jessamine's County Judge, has made exonerations in the tax list for 91 to 92 amounting to \$16,250. This amount was duplicated in the list.

"Chip" Fields was up before Judge Philster on a charge of petit larceny, and the Judge soon got rid of him by giving him thirty days at hard labor with Jailer Kirk.

Near the mouth of Nexton creek, about sixteen miles from Manchester, Clay county, some hunters found a young lady by the name of Anderson nailed by her hands and feet to a tree with life very near extinct.

C. F. Dieterich and W. H. Lynch of this city and Sanford Mitchell of the Mayslick Precinct have been appointed Commissioners to exterminate the black knot in Mason county. Judge Philster made the appointments.

The corn crop in Powell county is said to be better than for years, notwithstanding a six weeks drought. Heretofore Powell has had to go elsewhere to buy corn, but the farmers this season will raise a crop sufficient to supply the demand.

The All Professionals of Cincinnati will be with us tomorrow, and the team includes a number of good players, well known to the patrons of the game here. "Bugs" Brewer, that played with the Paris team; Johnson, that was with the Shamrocks; Scherist and Carr, the star battery, and McCormick, the second baseman of the Cincinnati Gymnasium team. Yest, the man that is in love with "Bugs" Brewer, will be along with that "fatted calf," and several others. The Emma Warren Theater Company, that is drawing large crowds nightly at the Opera-house, have tendered the services of their fine uniformed band, which will give a concert at the park before the game tomorrow.

CHIEF JUSTICE FYROR.

Constitution Places the Place of Justice Bennett's Successor.

There seems to have been some controversy as to who would be the Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals to succeed Chief Justice Bennett at the organization of the Court in September.

Under the old Constitution Judge Quigley, who received the appointment, would have undoubtedly felt heir to the position of presiding officer of the Court under the provision of "The Judge whose term next expires."

There should be no doubt about the question, as section 118 of the Constitution of 1900 reads: "The Judge longest in commission as Judge of the Court of Appeals shall be Chief Justice, and if the term of service of two or more Judges be the same, they shall determine by lot which of their number shall be Chief Justice."

As this matter is set at rest, Judge William S. Fryor will be the presiding officer, and will also serve when the Court is organized in January with seven members.

The Grand Lodge of Oddfellows will meet at Paris in October. The Bourbon Lodge of that place has been making arrangements to entertain the visitors.

If people do not like the newspapers in the summer months, as some advertisers have asserted, how do they clean their information in regard to the baseball score?

A canning factory is to be established at Big Stone Gap, and the lots that were once upon a time sold at booming prices are to be plowed and planted in tomatoes.

Hon. D. G. Colson will at once begin an active campaign in the Eleventh District for the Republican Congressional nomination. He proposes to speak all over the District.

The News says that over one hundred empty whisky barrels were shipped from Shelbyville one day this week. As that town is local option The News surmises that it must be very unhealthy there.

Beginning Saturday Sam Jones' will hold a ten days' meeting at Cadiz. The services will be held under an arbor, as there is no building in Cadiz sufficiently large to hold the people who will want to hear him.

The steamboat incident between Trinton and Ashland appears to have been hoodooed. The Jerrie, Mary L. Hatcher and Jennie George have tried in vain to make expenses there, and now the John C. Hopkins has tackled it.

A small boy surprised his teacher at one of the grammar schools by asking her how far a procession of the Presidents of the United States would reach if they were placed in a row. On her expression of his ignorance, he calmly announced: "From Washington to Cleveland."

To reduce my large stock of Bell Boots I have made a great reduction in prices, \$3 Belts reduced to \$2, \$4 Belts reduced to \$3, \$5 Belts reduced to \$3.50. The handsome line of real Tortoise Shell Combs ever seen here. Real Tortoise Shell Side Combs only 50 cents. Call and see them. P. J. McHenry.

Thirty Harlan County Teachers were summoned before the Grand Jury for the purpose of ascertaining, if possible, whether or not any of them had the list of questions they were to be asked before the examination, or whether any of them bought their places as teachers from the school trustees. Such reports are in circulation in more than one county in the state.

There is a man in a town up on the C. and O. who must be busy even in these hard times. He advertises that he is manager of the Opera-house, dealer in sash, doors, blinds, etc., brickyard, saw mill, etc. in connection, proprietor of the wharfboat and also dealer in paints, oils and roof roofing; corn, oats, hay, etc., for sale; and he also runs the only livery and feed stable in the town. He certainly has a few irons in the fire.

Herr John Vogel, one of the best known men in Bowling Green, is dead. He and Adam Frensch, the great circus owner who died a year or so ago, started in life together in a butcher shop. Both made a success, though the showman amassed the greatest fortune. Mr. Vogel was one of the most charitable men in the Park City, and his death will be a matter of deep regret there. He was well known throughout Kentucky in fish and game circles.

THE SOLDIER VOTE

A Very Adroit Scheme to Catch the Old Veterans' Vote.

The Administration is concerting a very adroit game for the Grand Army Encampment at Pittsburgh next month.

It is fully aware of its unfavorable reputation, caused by its opposition to pension legislation.

The soldier vote is lost to it in the coming election, unless some trick can drive the veterans into believing the Administration is not their enemy. During the last few days Secretary Hoke Smith and Commissioner of Pensions Lockren have had conferences on this subject.

It has been suggested that the way to save a portion of the soldier vote to the Democratic party is to secure the endorsement of the Administration and its pension policy by the Grand Army Encampment.

How to bring about this result was the subject of the discussion between the Secretary and Commissioner Lockren.

A plan is being matured to secure the endorsement. The Commissioner will confide in several Grand Army Democrats holding good Democratic views, who are apt to adopt Lockren's ideas.

They will work the scheme. Although hundreds of veterans have been dismissed from the service, a large number of old soldiers remain. Those professing Democracy will be seen, and their assistance secured for a resolution inducing the Administration, which will be introduced at the Encampment.

POWERFUL ARGUMENT. It is not agreeable for an old man with little to depend on for support to risk losing his position when advanced years prevent his competing with younger men.

This powerful argument, Administration officials think, will secure the cooperation or silence opposition on the part of many old soldiers who would rather not endorse the Administration.

After much such missionary work, arrangements will be made to bring resolutions before the Encampment, pronouncing the Administration a success, quoting Mr. Cleveland's declarations for protecting veterans in Government service, and be concluded by a declaration that the Pension Office has been honestly administered, the law equitably administered, and that in every way veterans have been treated with consideration.

If this resolution be adopted it will mean much to the Democrats having it in charge. They will feel sure and look to preferment.

While this plan has been adroitly concocted, it is not sure to succeed. It was the purpose to keep the plan a secret. The resolution was to be sprung on the soldiers at the Encampment unawares, but the plot has leaked out and unfurled.

Representative W. A. Stone has been informed, and preparations will be made to oppose the resolution when it is introduced, and if it is persisted in it is likely that a stormy scene will result.

Just half of the candidates nominated for offices by the Hopkins county Democrats are bachelors.

City Taxes. The receipts for city taxes—1894—are now in my hands for collection. On November 1st a penalty of 10 per cent. will be added to all unpaid.

JAMES W. FITZGERALD, City Treasurer. Office, Keith-Schroeder Hardware Co.

Cheap Rates via C. and O. On 27th and 28th to Niagara Falls and return \$6 75. Toronto and return \$7 75. Thousand Islands and return \$11 75. Lake Chautauque and return \$5 75. On September 11th to Kansas City and return \$30 25. Tickets will be sold for all points in Missouri, Kansas and Texas on this date at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip. Limit of tickets 30 days.

HAYSWOOD SEMINARY. This established and popular institution November 1st will open its doors on the first Monday in September. For particulars or catalogues apply to J. S. HAYS, Principal.

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FOR SHERIFF,
THAD F. MOORE.
FOR COMMISSIONER,
ROSE STOCKTON.
FOR ASSessor,
J. DAVID DYE.
FOR SURVEYOR,
T. P. BELLOCK.

Our Democratic Free-trade friends are continually harping on the Tariff tax paid by American consumers on imported articles. Indeed, they have been so vehemently so persistent in this parrot cry that many of them have come to believe that they are actually telling the truth—strange as that may appear. In this view of the case it may not be out of place to quote from an English authority. London Industries, leading technical journal of that city, of July 6th, 1894, says: "The new Tariff Bill of the United States, which has now passed the House and Senate, will remove a great burden from many sections of industry in this country. The Sheffield cutlery, whose commodities were saddled with duties varying from 70 to 100 per cent, and in some cases a great deal more, under the McKinley Bill, will enjoy immunity from taxation to the extent of about 50 per cent, whilst other branches of the hardware industry will benefit almost in the like proportion. Other circumstances therefore being propitious, we may have the pleasure of observing a revival of an American trade, although nothing much in that respect, it is to be feared, will be accomplished during the present year."

If the American pays the Tariff tax, will some good Democratic Free-trader please tell us how the British manufacturers "will enjoy immunity from taxation" under the proposed Free-Trade bill?

John Moran was fined \$1 and trimed in the Police Court for trying to outtalk Ben Smith.

The compromise between the C. and O. and the Ashland Street Car Company has been settled, the street car company having been given permission to build its tracks over the crossing.

Polish Catholics met Tuesday at Cleveland and decided to secede from the Church of Rome, organizing as the American Catholic Church, with Archbishop Viatte as its head. A motion to renounce allegiance to the Pope of Rome was lost.

Notwithstanding the fact that the flying qualities of the American five dollar bill have never been questioned, the news comes from Washington that the Secretary of the Treasury has just approved a design for a new five-dollar certificate with "wings on it."

The Young Regulators and the Chester mine played another game yesterday afternoon and tied the score in the third inning. And by order of the Captain of the Chester mine, there was one run rubbed out of the Regulators, which made the score 97 to 96 in favor of the Chester. The Regulators are out for square ball.

THE OLD COURTHOUSE
At Washington to be used as a Schoolhouse.
Everyone in the state who knows the locality will be glad to learn that the old Courthouse building in Washington is to be used as a Common School Building for that District, and that the Trustees are having it handsomely fitted up.
The building is historic. It is over 100 years old. Governor Metcalf, the old "stone hammer," was one of the masons who helped build it. It has been the scene of famous legal fights. Some of the greatest Kentucky orators have appeared there. It was in front of that building that Mrs. Beecher Stowe saw the first negro slave family sold and separated at the auction block, and conceived the idea of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."
The building and its tall cupola is in sight from every road leading into the town.
Washington is the second oldest town in the state and claims to be the first one in the South named after the father of its country.
We suggest to the Trustees that while the cupola is being tinned they place upon it a flagstaff, pulley and wire rope, so that a United States Flag can be raised there on all appropriate occasions. This is recommended by the Superintendent of the state, and almost all Common Schools have complied with it.
In many states it is made obligatory by law, for every school in its schoolhouse to have a great obelisk, which attracts attention and general commendation.
That the raising of our flag over Common Schoolhouses on such occasions as Washington's Birthday, etc., might be made a great object lesson to the scholars is potent to everybody of even the most obtuse understanding. But old Washington, shades of the past forgive us, is slow, sleepy, obtuse, unemotional and unpatriotic. May the future bring us better things.
The town is otherwise lively. The young people more especially seem to be enjoying themselves, a social or a dance occurring almost every night for the next ten days, rumor has it that the scholars when Washington has always had a superfluity, seem to wake up again and try to mix with the youngsters.
The poet wrote that "In the spring the young man's fancy lightly turned to thoughts of love," and in the autumn the old girl is most moved at the approach of the "melancholy days of autumn." Can it be that some subtle suggestion of cold and lonesome winter nights is having its influence? If so, look out for an exodus of the authorities, stating that he had killed Hecuba because the latter had been writing obscene letters to Mrs. Harrison. Hecuba leaves a wife and several children.
Mrs. Weems captured.
Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 23.—E. M. Weems, who worked on a bogus cotton scheme on a prominent firm in this city and shipped with \$4,500 spoils, has been apprehended and brought back to face his victims. Weems is a prominent society man and highly connected.
Cleveland in Washington.
Washington, Aug. 23.—President Cleveland returned to Washington at 8:25 o'clock Wednesday from his outing at Gray tables. Mr. Cleveland seemed in the best of health. There were not more than fifty people at the station who had been drawn there by curiosity to see the president.
No Quorum in the Senate.
Washington, Aug. 23.—There were just twenty-one senators present Wednesday when the vice-president called the senate to order. The deficiency bill was received from the house, and, having been signed by the speaker, the vice-president immediately attached his signature.
Robert J. Matfield for a Race.
Chicago, Aug. 23.—A match race for \$5,000 a side, best three in five heats, has been arranged between Robert J. Matfield, the favorite pacer of J. C. Hamilton, owner of the Village Farm, Indianapolis, and the owner of Joe Patchen, 2:06. It will take place Friday at Washington park.
Quiet at Honolulu.
San Francisco, Aug. 23.—The United States steamer Philadelphia arrived from Honolulu Wednesday afternoon, having made the passage in ten days. All was quiet at the islands when the warship left.
Dispersary Test Case.
Columbia, S. C., Aug. 23.—The attorney-general of the state and the city of Aiken have agreed to take Judge Aldrich's opinion in the case of the dispensary law and make a test of it in the supreme court.
Strike Declared Off.
Topeka, Kan., Aug. 23.—The American Railroad Union's board of mediation for the Santa Fe system has formally declared the strike off. Prominent citizens have appealed to the railroad officials to reinstate the strikers.
An Anglo-Russian Betrothal.
St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—It is reported that the Grand Duke Paul Alexandrovich, the youngest brother of the emperor, is betrothed to Princess Maud, the youngest daughter of the prince of Wales.
Minister Returns Off for Washington.
San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 23.—Minister Kurino, of Japan, left for Washington Wednesday, to assume his duties as the chief representative of Japan in this country.
The Oregon a Fast Vessel.
San Francisco, Aug. 23.—In a trial spin Wednesday, the man-of-war Oregon developed a speed of over eighteen knots. The contract called for only sixteen.
A Railway Tunnel Caves In.
Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 23.—There was another cave-in at Cumberland Gap tunnel Tuesday night of about 300 feet of drift. Traffic will be suspended for several days.

FIVE KILLED.
Terrible Accident at a Crossing Near Hazel, Ky.
Wagon Load of Young People Struck By a Locomotive.

Hazlet in the Death of Five of the Party—The Train, Alarmed at the Whistle, Ran Into a Cattle Guard and Struck and Killed Five of the Party.
Paris, Tenn., Aug. 23.—A terrible accident happened on the Paducah, Tennessee & Alabama railroad Wednesday evening. As the north-bound train was nearing Hazel, Ky., about fifteen miles north of Paris, in passing a crossing it struck a wagon loaded with people, and five of the occupants met their death.
The unfortunate party was crossing the track as the train came thundering down upon them, and the team became alarmed at the whistle, which was sounded for the crossing, and ran into a cattle guard. The vehicle could not be extricated before the locomotive had crashed into them.
The killed were as follows: Misses Jennie and Lillie Ray, aged 18 and 20, daughters of J. T. Ray; his son, Tole Ray, and two young ladies, the Misses Harmon. A young man named Ray was badly injured. Engineer Charles Ritter was in charge of the train. There is no blame attached to the accident, as far as is known. The company rendered all the relief possible to the injured.

Accidentally Electrocuted.
Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 23.—Ballet Harrison, a traveling salesman, went into his back yard to draw water from his cistern Wednesday evening. A live wire from the electric street railway line hangs across the yard. It had become loose and sagged low. Harrison leaned back after drawing the water, his neck touched the wire and he fell back. He was found dead with a great hole burned in his neck.

The Last Home.
Washington, Aug. 23.—Inquiry at the White house at half-past 11 Wednesday night in regard to the latest rumor that the president would sign the tariff bill at midnight, that it might go into effect Thursday, elicited the statement that no one there knew anything of such a scheme, and that Private Secretary Thurber had gone to bed.
Obscene Letter Writer Deceased.
Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 23.—Wednesday, at St. Petersburg, Fla., S. W. Harrison shot and killed R. E. Henly. Harrison immediately surrendered to authorities, stating that he had killed Henly because the latter had been writing obscene letters to Mrs. Harrison. Henly leaves a wife and several children.
Snailshell Weems captured.
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SERPENT VIRUS.
Prof. George Hays, of New Orleans, inoculates himself with it.
New Orleans, Aug. 23.—Prof. George Hays, curator of the university museum of this city, subjected himself to a dangerous experiment. He allowed himself to be bitten by a rattlesnake in order to determine if a person can be inoculated with the venom of serpents. His large collection of snakes he selected a young rattlesnake that had been caught a few days ago. Tending the snake he maddened it, and in a few minutes it directed its fangs toward Prof. Hays' little finger and bit him. The professor said he did not use any antidote and swollen development. In the course of a few hours the finger became swollen to twice its natural size. The professor said that during the week he would allow himself to be bitten again. He does not think the bite will prove fatal because a young snake can not emit as much poison as an old one. The sensation was much like the sting of a bee. Prof. Hays' object in experimenting is to try and establish that by the gradual absorption of a snake's venom the system will become inoculated, and a person in that condition can be bitten without the results proving fatal. Prof. Hays thinks his experiment will be successful.

DESTRUCTIVE BLAZE.
Fire Destroys Nearly \$200,000 Worth of Property at Hazelton, British Columbia.
Hazelton, B. C., Aug. 23.—A devastating fire broke out at Hazelton, B. C., Tuesday morning. The fire originated from an unknown cause, but it was stable of Price & Kirby and spread rapidly, destroying every house on both sides of Main street from Center street to the city limits. The loss is estimated at \$200,000, with only half that amount of the property being insured. The fire was caused by a gas stove in the kitchen of a house owned by W. G. Morris. Several adjacent residences were burned.
The burned district was comprised of about seventy-five buildings, but few of them substantial structures. The loss is estimated at \$200,000, with only half that amount of the property being insured. The fire was caused by a gas stove in the kitchen of a house owned by W. G. Morris. Several adjacent residences were burned.

Among the losers are Price & Kirby, E. W. Winfield, drugist; the Hutter furniture; the Houk beer agency; the Gerke beer agency; E. L. Sulger, carriage works; J. E. Jenkins, dry goods; and George Culbert, warehouse.
The city has suffered greatly from incendiaries lately, and it is thought that some one lately made a match to the city. No one was injured.

BURGULARS
Meet Their Match in an Indiana Couple—The Thieves Get Nothing.
Columbia City, Ind., Aug. 23.—Two burglars, who had been in the town of David, Elsie Tuesday night about 11:30. Mr. Elsie, who lives in the same building, was awakened by his wife. He got up and went to the grocery store to see what was the trouble. Upon entering the door, the burglars dashed into their faces and ordered him to keep quiet, but Elsie was not so easily frightened, and a terrible scuffle followed between the two burglars and Mr. Elsie. During the scuffle, Mr. Elsie's nose off and otherwise injured him, after which they escaped without getting anything.
The officers think they know who the intruders are, and will undoubtedly arrest them.

ANOTHER PURSE
Offered for the Corbett and Jackson Fight.
New York, Aug. 23.—A purse of \$50,000 was offered for the fight between James J. Corbett and Peter Jackson fight in Goldendale, Wash., as will be seen by the following, which has been received from the Corbett Exchange.
GOLDENDALE, Wash., Aug. 22.—At a meeting of citizens held at the Corbett Exchange, J. G. Flannery, president it was decided to offer a purse of \$50,000 for James J. Corbett and Peter Jackson to fight for here. If both pugilists accept and state where they want the money posted, the purse will be paid. Arrangements can be made.
J. B. CARNEY, Secretary of the Corbett Exchange.

TRADE MARK.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 23.—Miss Edith S. Clark, eighteen years old, daughter of a Pittsburgh bank official, was walking near the Ft. Wayne railroad at Clifton, when a spark from the locomotive set fire to her clothing. A moment later she was enveloped in flame. Crazed by fright and pain she rushed across the track and sprang into the Ohio river, from which she was rescued with difficulty. She is in a very serious condition, but may recover.
Going to Japan.
VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 23.—Capt. J. G. Cox, one of the most prominent Victoria seafarers, has been engaged by the Japanese government to take charge of a dry dock. Dr. George B. Duncan, Victoria's health officer, has joined the Japanese army as surgeon.

A Sentence to the Shot.
WICHTA, Kan., Aug. 23.—Miguel Cochran, full-blooded Indian, guilty of the murder of a woman, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life by the Seminole council for the murder of Dan Brooks, a squaw man. He will be publicly shot at Wewaka September 4.
Five Jackets Mail.
New York, Aug. 23.—A detachment of twenty blue-jackets sailed for the American liner Herla Wednesday to do duty on the United States cruiser Chicago at Southampton. They will release those whose terms of service have expired.
Ex-Councilman Convicted of Bribery.
NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 23.—Ex-Councilman Callahan was found guilty Wednesday of receiving bribes. He was the first of the boodle councilors to be found guilty. There were several more to be heard.

H. Clay Evans for Governor.
Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 23.—The republican convention in session here nominated H. Clay Evans for governor.

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Wholesale Grocers, Liquor Dealers, Seedsmen.
HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS OF FIELD SEEDS!

WHITE, JUDD & CO.
—Are still in the—
FURNITURE BUSINESS
No. 49 W. Second Street.

Optician,
LOUIS LANDMAN
of 26 West Seventh street, Cincinnati, O., will be at the Central Hotel, Nashville, Ky., Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, August 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and September 1, 1894, in the grading of eyes and correcting defective vision by glasses. A special reduced price for present season will now be positively and announced daily in the future.

FREE ADVERTISING.
No Charge! Advertisements under the heading of "Help Wanted," "Lost," "Found," "De. of an animal," "Nature," and "Not to exceed three lines, on this page, are FREE to all Business Advertisers inserted weekly, out copy.
If answers fail to come the first week, we include on many advertisements as are necessary to secure what you advertise for. We wish the advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our space. Advertisements can be left at our office or sent through the public ledger company, No. 10, Third Street.

WANTED.
WANTED—While room to live with family of two; wages \$1.50 per week. Call at this office.
WANTED—A young colored girl at once. Must be neat and willing to work. Apply to Mrs. D. K. PANDORF, 12 East Second street.
WANTED—A good family to rent a house and take board on East Third street. Apply to T. A. MILLER, 12 East Third street.
WANTED—A good cook, washer and ironer. Apply to J. E. BAKER, 12 East Third street.
FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—A two-story frame residence of six rooms, situated on Fourth avenue, Fifth ward. Apply to E. B. BAKER, 12 East Third street.
FOR RENT—My farm in Mason county, Ky., two and a half miles east of Mayfield, containing 100 acres, with a good house, barn, etc. Apply to J. L. HATHORN, North Fork, Mason county, Ky.
FOR RENT—A frame house, located on South Third street, near the city limits. Apply to J. E. BAKER, 12 East Third street.

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Folded China Plate, Black B. 8 and 10. Apply to J. E. BAKER, 12 East Third street.
FOR SALE—A watch chain, owner can have by applying at this office and proving property.

LOST.
LOST—Pocket-book between Mr. Duke Wadsworth's farm and Limestone street. It will find the book and suit the owner. Reward for finding after my loss will be \$100 in it.

FOUND.
FOUND—A black pig. If you have same by calling at this office and proving property.
FOUND—A watch chain, owner can have by applying at this office and proving property.

CANNED GOODS
and **FANCY GROCERIES**
of all kinds, brought from first hands when the "scene was up" at extremely low figures for cash. Having closed out all old goods my stock will be new and cheap. I will continue my popular system of

SPECIAL CUT PRICES
to **CASH BUYERS.**
So watch this space, as it will, from time to time during the season, contain some of the best bargains of the year. Every article close right along with your cash and

GET MORE GOODS
and **BETTER GOODS**
than you can get at any other place. Remember, Perfection Flour is the best. This limited offer has no equal. Try it.

R. B. LOVEL
THE LEADING GROCER.

1894 CITY 1894
T. VES

On and after July 1st the Tax Receipts will be in my hands for collection of City Taxes for 1894.
On November 1st a grant of 10 per cent. will be added.
For further information apply to J. W. FITZGERALD, City Treasurer, Office at Kells-Schneider Co.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.
FOR COUNTY OFFICES.
FOR JAILER.
We are authorized to announce ROBERT KIRK as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.
We are authorized to announce J. C. FERGUSON as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce JOHN C. RICE as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Assessor at the election in 1894, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CLERK.
We are authorized to announce SAMUEL J. NOWRIS as a candidate for re-election as Clerk of the Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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